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In response to the Final Official Action of October 7, 2003, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on January 7, 2004, with the present Response being filed on the two month due date of December 8, 2003 (December 7, 2003 being a Sunday), Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding objections and rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Response.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in the above-captioned application.

____ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
____ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
____ A Request for Extension of Time.
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